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EXPERIENCE:

Levi Strauss & Co., Contract Senior Designer for Women's Sweaters & Knit Tops, June 2024-Present

- -Responsible for shopping the global market for trend, inspiration, fabric, silhouette and competitive research
- -Sketched new designs and colored up CAD's in CLO, Adobe Illustrator, and Adobe Photoshop
- -Created and updated tech packs in partnership with Tech Design
- -Participated in all fittings and milestone meetings
- -Input BOM's into a PLM system and maintained BOM updates
- Partnered with Production, Tech Design and Trim Development to create tech packs and briefs and made sure margin targets were achieved.

Amour Vert, Senior Designer, July 2017-June 2024, San Francisco, CA

- -Oversaw design and garment development for woven and knit dresses, woven and knit tops, sweaters, skirts, pants and jackets
- -Developed concept and sketches for monthly seasonal product lines and presented out to leadership and cross functional partners
- -Partnered with Technical Design and Production to create tech packs and communicate fit intent and design, ensuring execution and quality
- -Researched and shopped global market to identify trends, silhouettes, fabric, color and competitive inspiration
- -Managed weekly fittings in partnership with Technical Design to maintain on time delivery and alignment with brand vision
- -Managed Freelance Designers, Freelance Technical designers, and in house sewing team
- -Grew and managed the sweater business focusing on product development, sustainable yarn innovation, and design
- -Collaborated with domestic and offshore partners
- -Maintained deliveries in partnership with Technical Design, Merchandising and Production
- -Demonstrated a strong ability to conceptualize collections and create compelling product while staying true to company sustainability initiatives

GAP INC., Assistant Designer for Gap Global Outlet, August 2015-May 2017, San Francisco, CA

- -Oversaw design, print and garment development for all woven and knit dresses, a \$40 million business
- -Managed multiple product cycles simultaneously for the women's \$600 million business
- -Strong profitability in dresses with over 60% margin rate
- -Designing into brand initiative for dresses, delivered 33% year over year retail growth.
- -Collaborated on denim wash, design development and sundry selection
- -Maintained deliveries in partnership with Merchandising, Production, Tech Design and Fabric R & D
- -Performed design research via magazines, blogs and trend websites
- -Presented design and print direction seasonally to all levels of senior leadership
- -Created sketches in Illustrator for designs, embroidery and design details
- -Developed and over saw execution of all sweater, stripe and plaid CADs
- -Managed freelancers in print development process
- -Approved all print and color strike offs, communicating comments to Production and Merchants

Levi Strauss & Co., Contract Designer for Global Bottoms and Made & Crafted, May 2014-July 2015

- -Worked with multiple design teams to organize and execute projects
- -Created and updated sketches in Illustrator
- -Researched inspiration, concept and trend
- -Entered and updated BOM's in a PLM System
- -Created fit, fabric, finish and trim developments
- -CAD and wash creation on mini bodies in Photoshop & Illustrator to create assortment
- -Worked with designer to select, develop and approve all sundries
- -Followed up with merchandising, sundries, fabric, wash house, and product development teams to be sure all deadlines were met
- -Participated and assisted in all fit development and analysis

Chaiken Clothing, Assistant Designer, October 2013-May 2014, San Francisco, CA

- -Excelled in a fast paced and deadline driven environment while focusing on a multitude of priorities
- -Supported fabric, trim and fit development for each season
- -Created detailed technical sketches in Illustrator, line plans and spread sheets in Excel
- -Contributed to market and customer research
- -Built partnerships with merchandising, tech design, production and sales to insure quality and execution of collections

Chelsea Flower/ Love Sam, Freelance Assistant Designer, August 2012-March 2013, New York, NY

- -Created and updated tech packs and line sheets for wovens and knits
- -Developed print concepts and mocked up on mini bodies in Photoshop
- -Hand sketched flats
- -Created seasonal color stories and executed trend forecasting
- -Created embroidery and beading layouts and pitch sheets

Industry Worn, Freelance Design/Production Assistant, May 2012-August 2012, New York, NY

- -Created sketches, patterns, samples, and conducted fittings
- -Assisted designer in managing seasonal demands to meet deadlines
- -Created tech packs and specifications for wovens and knits
- -Chose fabric and trims based on customers' product/vision
- -Interfaced daily with local manufacturers and factories

Diane Von Furstenberg, Design Intern, June 2010-Sept. 2010, New York, NY

EDUCATION

Academy of Art University, San Francisco, CA BFA in Fashion Design May 2010

COMPUTER SKILLS

-Proficient in Photoshop, Illustrator, Excel and Outlook